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OCTOBER VISIT TO NATO

¶1. (U) This is a request for guidance by COB Friday, October
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¶2. (C) On Wednesday, October 18 UN Special Envoy for Kosovo, Martti Ahtisaari will brief an expanded North Atlantic Council (NAC) including non-NATO KFOR contributing countries on a comprehensive settlement proposal for Kosovo. The Mission requests guidance for the October 18 NAC on themes and messages the Ambassador could deliver to Ahtisaari and our Allies.

¶3. (C) Immediately prior to Ahtisaari's briefing before the NAC, Ambassador Nuland will host a meeting with Ahtisaari and Quint permanent representatives to NATO: UK; France; Germany; and Italy. Nuland will also have the opportunity for a brief bilateral exchange with Ahtisaari prior to meeting with the Quint.

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